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## STATE OF MONTANA, BOARD OF ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

IN THE MATTER OF:

COLUMBIA FALLS ALUMINUM COMPANY'S APPEAL OF MONTANA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT NO. MT0030066 NOTICE OF APPEAL AND REQUEST FOR HEARING

Applicant Columbia Falls Aluminum Company ("CFAC"), by and through its counsel Catherine A. Laughner and W. John Tietz of the law firm Browning, Kaleczyc, Berry & Hoven, P.C., pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 75-5-403 and ARM 17.30.1370(4), hereby appeals the proposed Montana Pollution Discharge Elimination System Permit No. MT0030066 (attached as Exhibit 1), modified by the Montana Department of Environmental Quality on July 25, 2014, and requests a hearing before the Board of Environmental Review. Specifically, CFAC appeals the following elements of the Proposed Permit:

- 1) Changes to the previously designated mixing zones;
- 2) The description of Outfall 006;
- Failure of the permit to account for treatment achieved by the pond system and by attenuation of pollutants by natural soil and groundwater;
- 4) Compliance point for the acute aquatic life standard for total cyanide; and
- 5) Any other elements inconsistent with applicable laws and rules.

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Respectfully submitted this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2014.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2014, a true copy of the foregoing was mailed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

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